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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

30th January 1879, No. 157.

Overland Official Postal Bag.

Read the following paper:—

No. 177. *Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.*

Financial,  
No. 91.

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,  
31st December 1878.

MY LORD DUKE,—My attention has been called to expenditure which is frequently incurred unnecessarily in sending certain articles from India to this country in the official postal bag, which should be otherwise transmitted.

The following are instances:—

- (1.) A set of copper-plates, weighing  $6\frac{1}{2}$  lbs., were sent *by post*, with a General Letter from Bombay, dated the 26th July 1878, No. 31, and the postage amounted to 6l. 18s. 8d. These plates might have been sent as freight from Bombay at a very small cost.
- (2.) Twelve copies of *Sir R. Temple's Minutes*, 1877, were sent *by post*, each book being separately wrapped in brown paper and sealed, the twelve being then divided into three packets of four vols., and each packet enveloped in stout brown paper. The postal charges amounted to more than 26l. 10s., whereas the books might have been sent as freight, or by book or parcel post, at a small cost.
- (3.) The *early copy of monthly trade and navigation accounts*, No. 6 of 1878-79, might have been sent by book-post for a few pence, but the postage paid in India was Rupees 2-8-0.
- (4.) Six newspapers, weighing 12 ounces, were sent from Madras in the official bag with the letters, and the postage paid for them was 16s. (sixteen shillings). If these papers had been sent in the ordinary way as newspapers the cost of transmission would have been 1s., and if by book-post 1s. 9d.

2. I request that you will issue such instructions as will prevent unnecessary expenditure of this nature.

3. A similar communication has been made to the Governments of India and Bombay.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) CRANBROOK.

His Excellency the Most Noble  
The Governor in Council, Fort St. George.

No. 178.

ORDER THEREON, 30th January 1879, No. 157.  
Communicated to the Departments of the Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

*G. S. S. S.*  
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Military Department.  
" Revenue Department.  
" Public Works Department.  
Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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